storing a number in the memory, the number being representative of ~~an amount~~ the number of data fields to be checked; ~~and~~

receiving the ~~particular number of~~ data fields and their associated synchronization markers in the CRC module; and

storing a ~~the~~ number of data fields equal to the number of data fields to be checked, ~~substantially~~ in synchronism with a first synchronization marker associated with a beginning of a first received field of the ~~particular number of~~ data fields.

8. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 7, wherein the CRC module ceases receiving ~~the particular number of~~ data fields in ~~substantial~~ synchronism with a last marker associated with an end of a last of the received fields of the ~~particular~~ number of data fields to be checked.

9. (Currently Amended) An apparatus configured to ~~performe~~ perform cyclic redundancy checksum (CRC) ~~analysis~~ processing of video data, the video data having a plurality of data fields and a synchronization ~~marker~~ markers defining boundaries of each of the data fields , the apparatus comprising:

a memory configured for storing a number, the number being representative of a quantity of data fields to be checked;

a CRC module coupled, at least indirectly, to the memory and configured to receive the ~~particular number of~~ data fields and the synchronization markers ~~associated with the received particular number of data fields~~; ~~and~~